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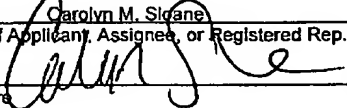
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Sir:

The above-identified application was filed on November 12, 2003. The PAIR system indicates that the file had been dispatched from Preexam as of May 24, 2004. However, no Official Action has as yet been received.

It is respectfully requested that Applicants be advised when it is expected this application will receive examination.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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